TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 780 - SB 940

February 13, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Upon approval by a two-thirds vote of the county legislative body, authorizes the register of deeds in Hamilton County to collect a \$2 submission fee for recording electronically-filed documents.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Revenue - \$800

Assumptions:

- According to the Hamilton County register of deeds, 761 documents were electronically-filed last year.
- Approximately fifty-percent (381) of those documents were filed through the county portal and the remaining fifty-percent were filed through vendor portals.
- Local revenue will increase approximately \$762 (381 documents x \$2 fee = \$762).
- If the number of documents which are electronically-filed increases, local revenue will also increase.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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